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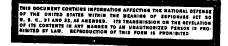
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DEVELOPMENTS IN THE CHEMICAL INDUSTRY

EXCEED POTASH QUOTA -- Berlin, Taegliche Rundschau, 21 Sep 51

In accordance with its pledge to exceed the August quota, the Kaiseroda Potash Plant exceeded its plan by 1,000 tons of pure potash. Forty miners' cooperatives achieved an average of more than 115 percent of their norms during August. The Woeretzhofer cooperative, for example, achieved 150.5, the Gesang cooperative 148.1, and the Lorey cooperative 147.6 percent of their fixed norms.

Some maximum cutputs of over 200 percent were achieved. Up to the present, the highest daily output was reached by the Lehn miners' cooperative with 208.7 percent. Next in line were Lorey, with 205.1 and Wolfram with 193 percent. The same excellent results were obtained for surface mining.

TOPS PIAN -- Berlin, Taegliche Kundschau, 24 Aug 51

During the first half of 1951, the Milk Sugar Factory in Laage (Mecklenburg), the only one of its kind in the German Democratic Republic, exceeded its planned output of milk sugar by 22.7 tons and its output of lactose by 10.8 tons.

INCREASE OUTPUT OF SPIRITS -- Berlin, Nachrichten fuer Aussenhandel, 21 Feb 51

The people-owned Kahlbaum plant in Berlin/Hohenschoenhausen has reopened its wine distillery. In 1950, the company's production of alcoholic beverages showed an increase of 31 percent over 1949, and a further rise in output is expected. Deliveries to the East German Laender have been increased.

CHEMICAL PLANT AHEAD OF SCHEDULE -- Weimar, Das Volk, 27 Jul 51

The workers of the People-Owned Apolda Chemical Laboratories are 48 days ahead of their production schedule. This achievement is particularly noteworthy since the plant's production quota was increased 100 percent last May.

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SPEED OVERHAULING PROCESS -- Berlin, Taegliche Rundschau, 29 Aug 51

The time required for the general overhauling of a carbide furnace in the Carbide Plant of the Buna Chemical Works has been reduced from 120 to 75 days.

MERGE TWO CHEMICAL PLANTS -- Berlin, Taegliche Rundschau, 29 Aug 51

As the result of the merger of two enterprises of the VVB Sapotex (Federation of People-Owned Soap and Detergent Factories), i.e., Haushaltchemie (Household Chemicals) and Elbechemie (Elbe Chemical Plant), both in Wittenberg, Sapotex will save 2 million Deutsche marks.

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